

## **TOWN OF STRATHAM**

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Dear Resident,

Please allow this letter to serve as an introduction to a Town-sponsored historic preservation effort and the professional engaged to complete it.

Lisa Mausolf is a preservation consultant hired by the Town to prepare a town-wide historical resource survey. In addition to using a wide range of public sources to research the development of Stratham she will be driving along streets across town taking photographs of street-side views.

Information gathered in the survey is recorded in what is called a Town-Wide Area Form. The Area Form is a planning resource that will document the historical and architectural patterns that characterize our town.

This project is identified in Stratham's 2019 Master Plan as part of its goal of expanding knowledge, appreciation, and documentation of our architectural, cultural, and social heritage. It is sponsored by the Heritage Commission and funded by the Town's Heritage Preservation Fund.

Please direct any questions to the Heritage Commission Chair Nathan Merrill by calling (603) 778-3040 or via e-mail at <a href="Heritage@strathamnh.gov">Heritage@strathamnh.gov</a>; or me, by calling (603) 772-4741 x181 or via e-mail at <a href="heritage@strathamnh.gov">dmoore@strathamnh.gov</a>.

Sincerely,

David Moore

Town Administrator

cc: Lisa Mausolf, Preservation Consultant

Nathan Merrill, Heritage Commission Chair

Town of Stratham, Select Board